Grade 9 - Semester 2

Class test 1- Listening & Reading

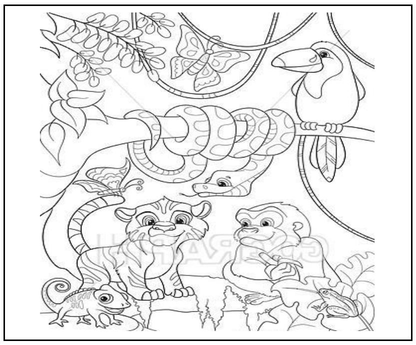
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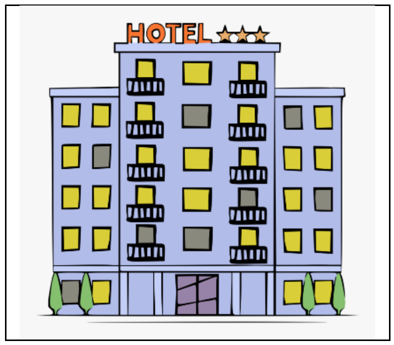
LISTENING 1 (Items 1–5) **(2.5 marks)**

You are going to hear five people are talking **Where are they?** Match the pictures with the texts. For each text, shade in the bubble under the correct option.

A.



B.



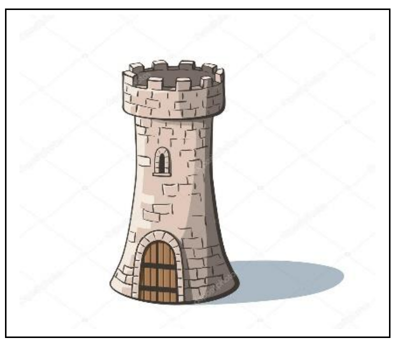
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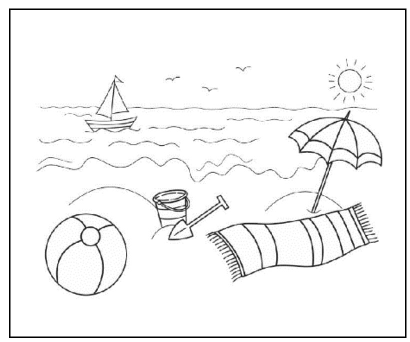
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E.



F.



TEXT	A	B	C	D	E	F
1						
2						
3						
4						
5						

LISTENING 2 (Items 6–10) **(2.5 marks)**

You are going to hear a short text about ***Nizwa Fort.*** *Listen and for each question shade in the bubble ◯ next to the correct option.*

6- Nizwa Fort was built by Imam __________ bin Saif Al'Yaribi.

◯ Said ◯ Ahmed ◯ Sultan

7-Its height is about ____________ meters.

◯ 42 ◯ 24 ◯ 40

8- Nizwa Fort is the _____________ place to explore how Omani used to be like in the past.

◯ best ◯ highest ◯ worst

9-Nizwa Fort is managed by a_________________ tourism company.

◯ ministry ◯ local ◯ international

10-Entery fee is 3 Omani Rials for ___________.

◯ adults ◯ teens ◯ kids

READING 1 (Items 5–10) **(2 marks)**

Match the four texts on the left with the texts in the box. Shade in the bubble ⬭ under the correct option.

1. My uncle is a tour guide. He enjoys his job so much. He takes tourists weekly to visit different places in Oman.
2. If you want to try the traditional food of Japan, you can eat it in Taro restaurant in Muscat.
3. When I travel to another country, I prefer be light. I don't take lots of luggage with me.
4. The high-quality tourism is the opposite of mass tourism. Here, small groups of people go on expensive holidays.

A.	I just take some clothes, a toiletry bag and a camera. If I forget something, I can buy it from there.
B.	They stay in the best hotels in the world. They pay more money for better services.
C.	He arranges the itinerary for them. Then, he goes to pick them up from the hotel to see the most famous places here.
D.	Because 60% of our body weight is made up of water. Our bodies use it in all the cells and organs.
E.	It has tasty dishes like sushi which is served with chopsticks to eat it. The waiters there wear kimono.
F.	German cars are the most preferred ones all over the world, due to their high technology, security, and great options.

TEXT	A	B	C	D	E	F
1	⬭	⬭	⬭	⬭	⬭	⬭
2	⬭	⬭	⬭	⬭	⬭	⬭
3	⬭	⬭	⬭	⬭	⬭	⬭
4	⬭	⬭	⬭	⬭	⬭	⬭

READING 2: **(3 marks)**

Read *the text. Then complete the task.*

Dear Ahmed,

How are you? Thanks for your last email. I was very happy to hear that you spent a very interesting holiday in the UAE. I hope to visit it soon too. I will tell you about my holiday.

Last summer holiday I went to the west of England. I think it is the most interesting place I have ever visited. As you know, my brother Ali is at university there so I stayed with him. He said that the town is not the same as it was 5 years ago. It was difficult to get around but over the years that has changed. As for my news, I went to the museum and learned a lot of things about natural history and wild animals. After walking in the museum, I ate a cheese sandwich that was good. I went shopping with my brother and I bought some postcards and pens for my friends.

That's all about me. Tell me about your holiday in the UAE.

All the best,

Khalid

*For each question, write a short answer (**not more than FOUR WORDS)**.*

5. Who is the email from?

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6. Where did Ahmed go in his summer holiday?

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7. Who did Khalid stay with?

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8. Where did he learn about natural history?

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9. What did he eat?

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10. What did he buy for his friends?

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